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Speaking of coal operators, the three biggest pluralities ever rolled up in Pennsylvania were cast for coal operators; and it was also a coal operator who received 7,857 plurality in a total poll of 20,135 in Lackawanna county last year.

Circumstantial Evidence. There is excellent reason to believe that \$2500 raised during the recent campaign by assessment on the Democratic candidates found its way into the pockets of the editor of the Scranton Republican and represented the willingness of Hon. Joseph A. Scranton to do further injury to a party which in thirty years has put not less than \$400,000 into his pocket.

A Preposterous Assertion. Elsewhere are reproduced a few of the reproving comments elicited from the Republican press of the state by a ridiculous assertion made several days ago in the editorial columns of the Scranton Republican to the effect that the Lattimer riot determined that no coal operator could hereafter be elected governor of Pennsylvania.

Backward Glances. The vote for Pryor in Scranton Tuesday, unofficial but substantially accurate, was 7,281; for Schadt, 6,177; Pryor's plurality in the city, therefore, was 1,104. Langstaff's city vote was 6,897 and Kelly's, 7,281, a plurality for Kelly of 384. Horn's city vote was 7,282 while Jones had 6,188, or 248 less than Copeland's while Law received in the city 8,262 votes against 8,414 for Tommy Daniels, a difference of 2,152 in the latter's favor.

Regarding Political News. The completion of the official count of the recent vote in Lackawanna showing the election of five Republicans and three Democrats renders it not inopportune to call attention to the exceptional accuracy and completeness of The Tribune's election news on last Wednesday morning.

Colonel McClure Reads a Riot Act. From the Philadelphia Times. The first most important lesson furnished by this election is one that should impress the honest Democrats of the state most profoundly. Democracy is the vote of the state is the lowest that has been cast for the last half generation, and does not embrace one-half the votes of the citizenry.

Perceiving the Storm Signal. From the Philadelphia Times. At no time during the last decade has the politics of Pennsylvania been more confused than at present. At no time has there been so large a number of the followers of both the leading parties ready for revolt.

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of government by an irresponsible coterie of conspirators hidden in the precincts of the hall on Fourteenth street, the Greater New York presents a spectacle for the ridicule of all who doubt and every republican institution, and for the sad contemplation of all others.

Back Into the Ranks. The triumph of the free silver element in the Kentucky Democracy on Tuesday brought forth from Colonel Watterson a characteristic blast. We reproduce its pith: We may regret the verdict against us, but we accept it. We shall make no further appeal to the party caucus or councils, or to share in any of the responsibilities of the party leadership, having done our best, according to our conscience and belief, to divert our political associates from a policy and procedure, the end of which no man can foresee.

Concerning Coal Operators. From the Pittston Gazette. The Scranton Republican says that "the Lattimer riot settled the coal operator on the next Republican candidate for governor of this state," and the same senseless cry has been taken up by Pennsylvania newspapers.

Has Had His Day. From the Carbonate Leader. The Herald quotes with much satisfaction an article from a recent issue of the Scranton Republican criticizing the present leadership of the Republican party in this county.

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